# NMHC Catalyst Monitoring Approach

#### NMHC emission conversion

 Exhaust temperature sensors to correlate exotherm to conversion efficiency during intrusive post-combustion fueling event

#### Functional monitors

- Exhaust temp sensor for sufficient exotherm for PM filter regeneration and NMHC conversion on clean-up catalysts
- NOx sensor for insufficient NO<sub>2</sub> feedgas for SCR



### NOx Catalyst Monitoring (Lean NOx and SCR)

- Requirement for 2010-2012 MY:
  - Detect following faults before NOx emissions exceed the standards by 0.3 g/bhp-hr:
    - NOx conversion efficiency
    - SCR reductant delivery
- Requirement for 2013+ MY:
  - Same as above except detect faults before NOx emissions exceed the standards by 0.2 g/bhp-hr



### NOx Catalyst Monitoring (Lean NOx and SCR) (cont'd)

- Additional requirements for 2010+ MY: Detect a fault if:
  - Separate reductant tank empty or filled with nonreductant
  - Feedback control of reductant:
    - Fails to enter closed loop
    - Defaults out of closed loop
    - Control authority at limits



# NOx Catalyst Monitoring Approach

- NOx emission conversion
  - NOx sensor(s) for higher conversion efficiency systems
  - Exhaust temperature sensor(s) for low conversion efficiency systems (functional type check)
- Reductant delivery/injection
  - Confirm delivery/metering of reductant with NOx sensor (or possibly temperature sensor for open loop/low-efficiency systems)



# NOx Catalyst Monitoring Approach (cont)

- Reductant tank/quality
  - NOx sensor to identify empty tank or non-reductant
  - Alternate approach: tank level sensor and reductant quality sensor (in tank or in exhaust)
- Feedback control
  - Control limits of reductant injection system are reached



#### NOx Adsorber Monitoring

- Requirement for 2010-2012 MY:
  - Detect NOx adsorber capability fault before NOx emissions exceed the standards by 0.3 g/bhp-hr
- Requirement for 2013+ MY:
  - Same as above except detect faults before NOx emissions exceed the standards by 0.2 g/bhp-hr



## NOx Adsorber Monitoring (cont'd)

- Additional requirements for 2010+ MY: Detect a fault if:
  - Insufficient active/intrusive injection to achieve desorption of NOx adsorber
  - Feedback control of NOx adsorber or active/intrusive injection system:
    - Fails to enter closed loop
    - Defaults out of closed loop
    - Control authority reaches limits



## NOx Adsorber Monitoring Approach

- NOx adsorber capability performance
  - A/F sensors before and after to correlate desorption time with performance
  - NOx sensors could also be used
- Active/intrusive injection
  - A/F sensors before and after to verify rich exhaust condition achieved
  - NOx sensor(s) could also be used



#### PM Filter Monitoring

- Requirement for 2010-2012 MY:
  - Require following faults to be detected before PM emissions exceed 0.05 g/bhp-hr:
    - Filtering Performance
    - Infrequent Regeneration
- Requirement for 2013+ MY:
  - Same as above except detect fault before
     PM emissions exceed 0.025 g/bhp-hr



#### PM Filter Monitoring (cont'd)

- Additional requirements for 2010+ MY:
  - Detect: (before NMHC emissions exceed 2.0x std)
    - too frequent regeneration
    - catalyzed filter NMHC conversion efficiency
  - Functional monitor for:
    - Incomplete regeneration
    - Missing substrate
    - Insufficient injection for active PM filter regeneration
  - Detect a closed loop regeneration system fault:
    - Fails to enter closed loop
    - Defaults out of closed loop
    - Control authority reaches limits



### PM Filter Monitoring Approach

- Filtering Performance
  - Differential pressure sensor, inlet temperature sensors, and PM loading model to correlate to filtering performance
- Infrequent Regeneration
  - Comparison of regeneration triggers (differential pressure sensor, PM loading model, time/distance) to identify improper PM loading

### PM Filter Monitoring Approach

- Catalyzed NMHC Conversion
  - Temperature sensors to measure performance during active regeneration
- Too Frequent/Incomplete Regeneration
  - Comparison of regeneration triggers (differential pressure sensor, PM loading model, time/distance) to identify improper PM loading
- Missing Substrate
  - Differential pressure sensor and exhaust flow rate to identify unacceptably low backpressure



## Diesel Engine Additional Monitors

Exhaust Gas Sensors



#### **Exhaust Gas Sensor Monitoring**

#### A/F sensors:

- For upstream sensors,
  - Detect fault before any emissions exceed 1.5 x standards
- For downstream sensors in 2010-2012:
  - Detect fault before aftertreatment thresholds exceeded (NMHC 1.5 x standard, NOx standard plus 0.3 g/bhp-hr, or PM 0.05 g/bhp-hr)
- For downstream sensors in 2013+
  - Same as above but with final aftertreatment thresholds (NMHC 1.5 x standard, NOx standard plus 0.2 g/bhp-hr, or PM 0.025 g/bhp-hr)



## Exhaust Gas Sensor Monitoring (cont'd)

#### NOx sensors:

- 2010-2012 MY: Detect fault before aftertreatment thresholds exceeded
  - NMHC 1.5 x standard, NOx standard plus 0.3 g/bhp-hr, or PM 0.05 g/bhp-hr
- 2013+ MY: Same as above except detect fault before final aftertreatment thresholds
  - NMHC 1.5 x standard, NOx standard plus 0.2 g/bhp-hr, or PM 0.025 g/bhp-hr

## Exhaust Gas Sensor Monitoring (cont'd)

- Additional requirements for 2010+ MY: Detect the following faults for all sensors:
  - Circuit/out-of-range faults
  - Feedback faults that cause an emission control system to default out of closed loop
  - Insufficient performance of the sensor for use for other OBD monitors
  - Heater performance and circuit faults

## Exhaust Gas Sensor Monitoring Approach

- Upstream/downstream A/F and NOx sensors
  - Analyze sensor output and response during known exhaust conditions
  - e.g., overrun, idle, steady cruise, with or without EGR, during active injection for PM filter regeneration or NOx adsorber desorption

#### Gasoline Engine Monitors

- Same as light-duty OBD II monitoring requirements (section 1968.2)
  - Emission thresholds tied to 1.5 or 1.75 x standards for major monitors
  - Evap leak check for 0.030" instead of 0.020"
    - Phase-in of 0.090" for 2010-2012
    - Final size of 0.030" for 2013+



#### Gasoline Engine Monitors (cont'd)

- Alternate-fueled engines
  - Subject to requirements for gasoline engines (even if they are derived from a diesel engine)
  - 2010-2016MY: May request relief/exemption from monitoring requirements
    - For any monitor where monitoring may be unreliable with respect to the alternate fuel



## Diesel and Gasoline Engine Monitors

- VVT System
- Cooling System
- PCV System
- Comprehensive Components
- Other Emission Systems



#### **VVT System Monitoring**

- Requirement: Detect following faults before emissions exceed 1.5 x standards:
  - target error
  - slow response
- Monitoring Approach:
  - Compare target (commanded) and actual (sensed) valve timing and/or lift



#### Cooling System Monitoring

- Requirement: Monitor cooling system (e.g., thermostat, ECT sensor) for proper performance:
  - must reach minimum temperature necessary to enable other OBD monitors or any emission control strategy within a reasonable time
  - must reach near thermostat-regulating temperature within a reasonable time



## Cooling System Monitoring (cont'd)

- Will likely require engine manufacturers to set <u>upper</u> and lower bounds on amount of heat that coach builders may take out of system during warm-up
  - e.g., max heat removed from the engine side of the thermostat during warm-up
- Monitoring approach:
  - Compare actual temperature with warm-up model (based on start-up temp, ambient, driving conditions, etc.)



#### PCV System Monitoring

- Gasoline requirement: Detect disconnection of the system between:
  - the crankcase and PCV valve, or
  - the PCV valve and the intake manifold.
  - Or, design the systems to avoid disconnection
- Diesel requirement: Submit plan for review:
  - Combination of detection and, more likely, design of the system to avoid disconnection



# Comprehensive Component Monitoring

- Required to monitor electronic components that are used/inputs to the engine controller and that:
  - can cause a measurable emissions increase during any reasonable driving condition, OR
  - affect any other OBD monitors
- Requirement: Detect following faults:
  - circuit and rationality faults for input components
  - functional faults for output components
- Monitors not tied to emission thresholds



## Comprehensive Component Monitoring (cont'd)

- Components "outside" of the engine
  - Required to monitor: Transmission/other powertrain components used by the engine controller for enabling, disabling, or malfunction determination (e.g., VSS or park/neutral switch used to disable monitors)

## Comprehensive Component Monitoring (cont'd)

- Components "outside" of the engine
  - Not required to monitor: transmission components that aren't used by the engine controller (even if they could fail and cause the trans to operate in a manner that won't run one of the engine monitors)
    - e.g., shift solenoid that results in the engine not shifting to all gears and that results in reduced engine speed range

# Other Emission Control System Monitoring

- Required to monitor other emission control systems that are:
  - not identified under the other monitoring sections,
     OR
  - identified as a comprehensive component, but not corrected or compensated for by an adaptive control system
- Manufacturers required to submit a plan detailing monitoring strategy and malfunction criteria for ARB approval

